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SCORE LINE MISREGISTER AND PRODUCT OF THE METHOD

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) UNDER 37 CFR §1.114/ AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION/ PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR §1.136(a)

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request for continued examination (RCE) under 37 CFR §1.114 of the aboveidentified patent application, in which prosecution is closed.

1. A submission as required under 37 CFR §1.114 is submitted as follows: An Amendment and Response is enclosed herewith.

Applicant respectfully requests that the shortened statutory period for response to the final Office Action, dated November 18, 2004, be extended by three months, to expire on May 18, 2005.

The filing fee for the present request for continued examination is calculated below. No claims in excess of the number previously submitted as being added.

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4. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the RCE/filing fee of \$790.00, the three-month extension of time fee in the amount of \$1020.00 and any other fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1480. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Please find enclosed herein:

- Request for Continued Examination/Extension of Time
- Amendment and Response After Final

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is filed with the Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, via facsimile to 703-872-9306, on the date specified below.

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